



MRS. MELVIN W. DAVIS
... former Lorraine Lewis

—Photo by Seeman

Miss Lorraine Lewis Joins Bridal Ranks

Nuptial vows were exchanged in a double ring ceremony performed at First Christian Church August 25 at 3 p.m. by Lorraine Ann Lewis and Melvin W. Davis.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Gragg of 2834 Onrado Street and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Davis of 5422 Konya Drive.

Officiating was Rev. H. M. Sippel. Two hundred guests witnessed the ceremony.

For her wedding the bride was dressed in a floor-length gown of chantilly lace and satin fashioned with a scalloped neckline and pointed sleeves. Her bouquet was comprised of white orchids and white carnations.

Mrs. Delbert Hunt, matron of honor, was gowned in antique gold satin and carried tropicana roses. Wearing similar dresses, but carrying mandarin carnations, bridesmaids were: the Misses Denise Brady, Joann Gragg, and Colleen Brennan.

Flower girl was Patricia

Troutt who wore an embossed white dress trimmed in antique gold.

Mrs. Gragg was attired in a pink lace sheath with matching jacket, and the mother of the bridegroom selected a teal blue ensemble.

Jerry Davis was best man. Ushers included: Robert Lewis, Edward Buzick and Michael Gragg.

Musical selections were: "The Lord's Prayer," "No Other Love," and "Love Is a Many-Splendored Thing."

Mrs. Jerry Davis presided at the guest book at a wedding reception at the YW-CA.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis are both graduates of Torrance High School. Davis was graduated in 1962 and is employed by Lucky Markets, and Mrs. Davis was graduated this June.

Upon their return from a Palm Springs honeymoon, the couple will be at home in South Gate.

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RONNIE SAUNDERS, Society Editor

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Newlyweds Return Home from Carmel Honeymoon

At home in Whittier after a five-day honeymoon trip to Carmel are Mr. and Mrs. George Marich who were married at noon Saturday at Saint Lawrence Martyr Catholic Church.

Mrs. Marich of 4718 Via Co-Sharon Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Roberts of Los Angeles. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marich of 4718 Via Corona.

The double-ring ceremony was performed before 200 guests by Father O'Byrne. Flower baskets flanked both sides of the altar and bouquets decorated the pews.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a gown of organza over satin fashioned with scoop neck, long sleeves, and a chapel length

train. She carried a bouquet of phalaenopsis and orchids.

Joan Walp of Corono del Mar was maid of honor. She was attired in organza redingote over an A-frame dress.

Dressed in costumes matching that of the maid of honor were four bridesmaids, the Misses Vickie Ekdahl of Newport, Helena Hughes and Margaret Roberts of Los Angeles, and Helen Marich of Torrance. They carried lavender nosegays.

Best man was Michael Clark, who was attended by: Dennis McMaster of Torrance, Peter Dean of Rancho Santa Fe, Richard Peter of Downey and Louis Ianelli of Whittier.

Musical selections included traditional wedding

march and "Ave Maria."

Setting for the wedding reception which followed the ceremony was the Palos Verdes Estates home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Rauls, 1612 Via Lazo. Miss Tina English presided at the guest book, and rice bag were distributed by the bridegroom's sisters, Donna, Marich 11, and Lauri Ann Marich, 9.

Employed as a school teacher in Downey, the bride was graduated from Whittier College in June, where she was a member of the Atterian Society.

The bridegroom, who was in the same graduating class as his wife, was president of the Orthogonian Society at Whittier College. He is presently employed by the Standard Oil Company.



MRS. DAVID BEARD
... former Melba Sprout

—Photo by Seeman

Melba Jean Sprout Weds David Beard

Miss Melba Jean Sprout, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sprout of 1327 Beech Ave., became the bride of David Beard in a ceremony performed at 4 p.m. Sunday, August 25 at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church by Rev. Hugh Percy.

Fan-shaped bouquets and baskets of flowers decorated the sanctuary. Three hundred guests were in attendance as the couple exchanged double-ring vows.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, selected a silk organza gown with Italian lace trim which terminated in a chapel train.

Wearing a bluish pink silk taffeta dress, Miss Peggy Sprout was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were: the Misses Linda Sprout, Andra

Silver and Carolyn Shirley, and flower girls were Rebecca and Gwendolyn Mallard.

Mrs. Sprout was attired in a beige sheath with pink accessories. The mother of the bridegroom was dressed in an aqua silk sheath with beige accessories.

Ushers included: Harry Beard, Dennis Beard, and Doug Lightle.

Assisting at the wedding reception were: Mmes. J. Parke Montague, Richard Sprout, and Anna Baker and Miss Paula Johnson.

The bride is a June graduate of Torrance High School where she was a member of the 1963 prom court, Tartar Ladies, Torrettes-Homemakers Club and class council.

A 1961 graduate of Narbonne High School, the bridegroom is employed by Mayfair Creamery and is enrolled at De Vry Institute of Technology. Both bride and bridegroom have been active in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

The couple will reside in Lomita after they return from a Lake Arrowhead honeymoon Sept. 11.

Court Members Tour Hospital

Touring new Harbor General Hospital facilities recently were Catherine No. 1378, Catholic Daughters of America.

Mrs. McAllister, director of volunteers, greeted the guests and introduced them to their volunteer guides. Highlighting the tour was the trip thru the new modern kitchen conducted by Miss Starr, head dietician.

Refreshments were served in the conference dining room by volunteers. Serving table was adorned by a lovely statue of St. Joseph surrounded by a floral arrangement.

The tour of the hospital was arranged for the purpose of acquainting members with the facilities of the new building. For several years Ct. St. Catherine has sponsored monthly ward parties. They will continue them in the new hospital with the first party planned for Sept.

Members attending were: Mmes. Harvey Lee, grand regent of the local court, Edward Heatherman, Leonard Young, Thomas Babbitt, Regina Cunningham, Joseph Bagosi, Charles Butterfield, John Barth, Mary Duren, F. W. Rick, Louis Derouin, Robert Hammerle, Gordon Hicks, Ralph Sullivan, Lloyd Landerville, George Rausch, Gordon Cady, Misses Felice Shaughnessy and Marie Thomas.

Door prizes will be awarded and a pound of coffee will go to the club with the largest attendance.

The club dances every second and fourth Saturday at the Nativity Parish Annex with guest callers on the second Saturday and Dan Schmelzer on the fourth Saturdays.

Couple to Make Home in Torrance

The Little Church of the West in Las Vegas, Nev. was the setting for the marriage of Miss Diane-Eliskovich of Sutter Creek and Bronko Boskovich of Torrance on June 23.

Rev. Bernard Newman of the St. George Eastern Orthodox Church officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nieman of Wilmington were best man and matron of honor.

The bride, who wore a white dress with white accessories and carried a white orchid bouquet, is the daughter of Mrs. Milica Eliskovich of Sutter Creek and the late Marko Eliskovich.

She is a graduate of the Amador County High School in Sutter Creek and has been employed by the Amador County Welfare Department in Jackson.

Son of Mrs. Melica Boskovich and the late Tomo Boskovich of Torrance, the bridegroom is a graduate of West Hazelton High School, West Hazelton, Pa. and El Camino College.

He has served with the U.S. Army for two years and is currently employed by the Garrett A/R Research Mfg. Co. of Los Angeles.

After spending a honeymoon in Las Vegas, the couple is making their home in Torrance.



MRS. GEORGE MARICH
... Former Miss Sharon Roberts

(Photo by Roberts Studio)

Family Picnic Held by Moose

The annual Moose picnic of Torrance Loyal Order Of Moose and Women Of The Moose units of the family fraternity was held at Peck's Park in San Pedro Sunday, Aug. 25, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For the second time, the Torrance Moose units joined with their counterparts from San Pedro for the event. Co-chairmen from Torrance were Mrs. Joseph Marley and Morris Stottlemeyer.

The program for the day began with a softball game played between the San Pedro and the Torrance Moose teams at 9 a.m. The San Pedro team won.

Soft drinks and ice cream were provided for children and competitive games held for various groups. Final contest of the day was the watermelon eating contest won by Miss Leona Pierce and Mrs. Jerry Coplan of the Torrance Women Of The Moose.

Mrs. Bert Brock Honored at Shower

Mrs. Bert Brock was the honored guest at a baby shower given by Mrs. Bruce Scott of Scobey Ave. in Dominguez Hills.

Decoration theme was a kiddie party complete with balloons and streamers in carnival colors.

In attendance were: Mmes. Nathan Mudge, Paul Taylor, Leonard Brummett, Robert Krumpke, Bruce Scott, Michael Brunelli, Leo Christensen, Paul Reed, Arnold Simay, Ken Taylor, Louis Santa Maria, Ronald Rector, Joseph Kolano, Ed Marsin, John Somaji, Donald Carney, and Robert Kawamoto.

'GET ACQUAINTED'

Members of the South Bay Delta Zeta Alumnae Chapter will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Richard B. Davis, 1200 Via Landeta, Palos Verdes Estates at 8 p.m. for a "get acquainted" evening.

Square Dance Class Slated

Torrance Twirlers Square Club will sponsor a beginner's class in square dancing Wednesday, Sept. 18 at 8 p.m. in the Nativity Parish Annex, corner of Engracia and Arlington Ave.

The class is open to couples and individuals.

Dan Schmelzer, local Torrance caller, will be the instructor. Refreshments will be served.

Registration will remain open for the following two Wednesdays.

The course consists of approximately 24 weeks at the end of which a graduation party will be held and dancers will receive their diploma.

Persons desiring further information are asked to call FA 8-9249 or FA 8-5859.

September 28 the Torrance Twirlers will hold a party dance. Home-made pie and homemade ice cream will be featured. Dan Schmelzer will be caller.

Sewing Circles

By BECKY SCHAEFFER

I am occasionally asked to look at a sewing machine and tell the owner why it



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doesn't work right. Very often, I end up asking, "How frequently do you clean and oil your machine?"

A sewing machine is a precision instrument, and for the amount of money you spend on it (from fifty to \$350) it will serve you better than your car, refrigerator or power mower, yet it has more parts for its size than any other mechanism.

If you still have your instruction book, why not take it out some afternoon and read it over. When you aren't hurried, or right in the middle of a sewing project, you may be able to understand that paragraph that mystified you before.

Over a year's time, I make an average of fifty garments. That means about one garment per week, though it usually comes out to mean three or four garments in one week of a month.

After each garment, I take my little nylon brush and clean the bobbin case. Then I dust my machine and wipe lint from all reachable surfaces.

After three or four gar-

ments have been made, or a lot of oil-absorbing lint has been removed, it is time for oil.

Never use an all-purpose oil on your machine. These oils are cheaper and heavier than good sewing machine oil. And don't use cotton swabs on moving parts. Any kind of small brush is better, as it can not force lint into tiny places. Do not put oil into just any hole. Some of those holes are screw-placements for attachments, and oil will cause them to "strip out." Your booklet will show you where to oil.

If your machine is old, and you got it from someone other than a dealer who would have cleaned and adjusted it, either send it out to a shop for attention or clean it carefully yourself, if you're good at that sort of thing.

Many moving parts may be covered with a yellow film of old oil, and are the only thing wrong with its operation. A good cleaning fluid on a soft cloth will remove oil.

Be sure to apply fresh oil thoroughly, but never slop oil on in excessive amounts. Only so much can be used effectively, and the rest will drip off into your case and cause more clogging.

TODAY'S HINT:

Never attempt to reset your bobbin tension. It is very easy to foul up, and should be done by an experienced person.